



**Catholic Parishes of Our Lady and the Apostles, Shipston & Brailes.
And St Francis of Assisi, Kineton**
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CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS.

Week beginning 8th September. 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
The Year for Priests

Saturday	7th	23 rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	Vigil	5.00 pm.	Brailes	Jacky O Brien
Sunday	8th			9.00 am.	Shipston	Paula, Simon, George & James
				11.00 am.	Kineton	Special Intention
Monday	9th	St Osburg		10.00am	Kineton	Patrick Renshaw
Tuesday	10th	Blessed Agnellus of Pisa		9.30am	Brailes	Thanksgiving SI
Wednesday	11th			10.30am	Shipston	Communion Service
Thursday	12th	Most Holy Name of Mary		9.30am	Shipston	Margaret McAleese
Friday	13th	St John Chrysostom			Kineton	Delia & Elizabeth
Saturday	14th	24th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Vigil	5.00pm	Brailes	Roger Hutchinson (SI)
Sunday	15th			9.00 am.	Shipston	Carol & Muriel
				11.00 am.	Kineton	Mary & Michael Dillon

Shipston counting team - 8th September: Christian & Peter 15th :Clare & Julia

Shipston and Brailes collection 1st September: £426. Thank you

Please pray for the Sick and Housebound: Patients in the Ellen Badger Hospital, Residents in Low Furlong, Kineton Manor and River Meadow. Brian Blackie, John Oakes, Pat Lawton, Doreen Watkins, Eileen Keogh, Margaret Blundell, Pansy Corless, Frances Ward, Matthew Sabatowski, Elspeth Phillips, Jose Mario Corral, Antonia & Brian Weston.

Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation: – 14th September - Shipston 21st Brailes (10.00am-11.00am)

Holy Father's prayer Intention: September-The Protection of the Oceans. That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.

Congratulations to Pippa and Barney Porter who were married at St Peter and St Paul chapel last weekend

Ekica: 24 hour Table Tennis Marathon to raise funds for the Ekica charity. Friday 13th September at Shipston Enterprise. If you would like to sponsor Tadge or give support to this worthy cause then please call Tadge or Sue on 01608 662065.

There will be a retiring collection next weekend for Home Mission Sunday.

Baptised and Sent- Our call to be Missionary Disciples: Pope Francis has declared October 2019 as an Extrordinary Missionary Month. The Justice and Peace Commission for the Archdiocese of Birmingham and the Columban Missionaries invite you to reflect on your experiences, celebrating the putting in to action the call to mission for justice, peace and care for creation. Date 12th October 10.am-5.pm- Venue St Peter's catholic secondary School, Solihull.

And finally: Inspired by the "Laudato Si" encyclical, the Global Catholic Climate Movement invites Catholics to celebrate the "Season of Creation" worldwide. The season commenced on September 1st and ends on October 4th, the feast of St Francis of Assisi. Visit the Global Catholic Climate Movement's web page Season of Creation to read how to reduce your ecological footprint, how to advocate and how to pray. You can also access resources for each week of the Season of Creation. I hope the summer holidays went well and that our children have settled in to their new school year. God Bless. Fr David

"My Lord Jesus Christ, I implore you to enlighten me and to disperse the darkness of my soul. Give me true Faith, firm Hope and perfect Charity. Grant me O Lord. To know you so well, that in all things I may act by your light and in accordance with your holy will. Amen." St Francis of Assisi-Prayer before the Crucifix